STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA BOARD OF GOVERNORS

January 24, 2024

SUBJECT: Public Notice of Approval of Adoption of Board of Governors Regulation 14.011, Emergency Opioid Antagonists in University Housing

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION

Approved the Public Notice of Approval of Adoption of Board of Governors Regulation 14.011, Emergency Opioid Antagonists in University Housing.

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution, Regulation Development Procedures.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The new regulation stems from last year's House Bill 783, which established the Statewide Council on Opioid Abatement (within the Florida Department of Children and Families) to enhance state efforts to abate the opioid epidemic. As an ancillary component of the bill, it also created section 1004.0971, Florida Statutes, which requires injectable opioid antagonists to be located in all student residence halls and dormitories owned or operated by universities. It further stipulated that the Board of Governors adopt regulations administering the statutory requirement.

At its November 9, 2023 meeting, the Board approved the Public Notice of Intent to Adopt Regulation 14.011.

Public notice was subsequently posted for review and comment. Several comments were received and reviewed by Board staff, but none resulted in changes to the proposed regulation.

Supporting Documentation Included:

Regulation 14.011